GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7258
ANSWERED ON:14.05.2002
FOOD FOR WORK PROGRAMME IN ORISSA
KUMUDINI PATNAIK

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Orissa has requested the Centre to use the rice procured in the State for Food for Work Programme;

(b) if so, the response of the Government thereto; and

(c) the quantum of rice procured in the State diverted for this purpose, as on 31.3.2002?

Answer

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT(SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU)

(a) & (b) : Yes Sir, the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution has informed that the request of the State Government was agreed to
(c) : Information is being collected and will be placed on the table of the house .